

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q88494

Shiro SHIBAYAMA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/538,364

Group Art Unit: 1646

Confirmation No.: 6855

Examiner: Prema Mertz

Filed: June 13, 2005

For: METHOD FOR MEASURING AN OCCUPYING RATIO OF A COMPOUND BOUND
TO A STRONG BINDING SITE OF CCR5 ON A CCR5 EXPRESING CELL

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on
March 25, 2008:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was attached was mailed March
28, 2008.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: None
2. Identification of claims discussed: 9, 34 and 35
3. Identification of art discussed: None
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: None
5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: None
6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: None

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7. Results of Interview: The 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph rejections was discussed. It was suggested by the Examiner that the 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph rejections may be obviated by canceling the pending claims, and submitting new claims.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,



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